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The secretariat of the United Nations Conference on Human Settlements (Habitat II) has the honour to inform Conference participants that, in accordance with rules 57 to 63 of the rules of procedure of the Conference, the following documents have been circulated for information purposes:

Brochures on the "Habitat Dialogues". Submitted by the Habitat secretariat.

"Our Planet", vol. 8, No. 1, 1995, entitled "Our Earth, Our Habitat, Our Home". Submitted by the delegation of the United Nations Environment Programme (UNEP).

A publication entitled "Towards sustainable human settlements". Submitted by the delegation of the European Commission.

The national report of Nepal, in two volumes, entitled "National Plan of Action" and "Best Practices", and a report entitled "National shelter policy of Nepal".

"Living in Asian Cities", the report of the Second Asia-Pacific Urban Forum. Submitted by the delegation of the Economic and Social Commission for Asia and the Pacific (ESCAP).

The national report of the Russian Federation, entitled "Housing reform and human settlements development in the Russian Federation". Submitted by the delegation of the Russian Federation.

The national report of Bhutan. Submitted by the delegation of Bhutan.

The national report of India. Submitted by the delegation of India.

The national report of Estonia, entitled "People and Welfare". Submitted by the delegation of Estonia.

The national report of the United States of America, including "Beyond Shelter: Building Communities of Opportunity", "Cityscape: A Journal of Policy Development and Research. Bridging Regional Growth and Community Empowerment", vol. 2, No. 2, "State of the Nation's Cities: America's Changing Urban Life", and the report of the President's Council on Sustainable Development, entitled "Sustainable America: A New Consensus for the Future". Submitted by the delegation of the United States of America.

The national report of Cyprus. Submitted by the delegation of Cyprus.

A publication entitled "Climate and Urban Development". Submitted by the delegation of the World Meteorological Organization.

The national report of Bahrain, entitled "Housing Neighbourhoods", and other publications. Submitted by the delegation of Bahrain.

Two publications, one entitled "Dubai Award for Best Practices to Improve the Living Environment" and the other including the proceedings of the Dubai International Conference for Habitat II on Best Practices in Improving the Living Environment. Submitted by the Dubai Municipality.

Two publications, entitled "The Sustainable City" and Ambio: A Journal of the Human Environment, a special issue on The Sustainable City. Submitted by the delegation of Sweden.

The national report of Oman, which is available in Arabic. Submitted by the delegation of Oman.

A resumé of the national report of Mexico, which is available in Spanish. Submitted by the delegation of Mexico.

The national report on human settlement and housing development in Slovakia. Submitted by the delegation of Slovakia.

The national report of Pakistan. Submitted by the delegation of Pakistan.

The national report of Tunisia. Submitted by the delegation of Tunisia.

The national report of Lebanon. Submitted by the delegation of Lebanon.

The national report of Hungary, with a supplement entitled "Human Settlements of the Future and the Youth", and various brochures. Submitted by the delegation of Hungary.

The national report of the former Yugoslav Republic of Macedonia. Submitted by the delegation of the former Yugoslav Republic of Macedonia.

The national report of Denmark. Submitted by the delegation of Denmark.

The national report of Finland, entitled "Sustainability as a challenge", and a publication entitled "Making Future Now - Good Practices in Finland".

The national report of Poland, entitled "Human Settlements in Poland". Submitted by the delegation of Poland.

The national report of Slovenia, in two volumes. Submitted by the delegation of Slovenia.

The national report of the Republic of Moldova. Submitted by the delegation of the Republic of Moldova.

The national report of Switzerland, entitled "Human Settlement in Switzerland", Housing Bulletin, vol. 33. In addition, six volumes containing information on Swiss contributions to the Best Practices Initiative.

The national report of Germany, entitled "Human Settlements Development and Policy" and a summary thereof, and the National Plan of Action for Sustainable Settlement Development. In addition, a publication entitled "German Best Practices - Global Best Practices Initiative in Improving the Living Environment".

A brochure entitled "Les grandes métropoles, acteurs du développment au XXIe siecle" Submitted by the delegation of France.

The national report of Saudi Arabia, entitled "Housing and Human Settlements in the Kingdom of Saudi Arabia", and various brochures prepared for the Conference. Submitted by the delegation of Saudi Arabia.

The national report of the Czech Republic, entitled "Housing in the Czech Republic" Submitted by the delegation of the Czech Republic.

The national report of Azerbaijan. Submitted by the delegation of Azerbaijan.

Publications entitled "Social Security in Austria", "Young People and the Family" and "Family Policies in Austria". Submitted by the delegation of Austria.

The national report of the United Arab Emirates, which is available in Arabic. Submitted by the delegation of the United Arab Emirates.